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Placer County Grand Jury Releases Responses to 2021-2022 Final Report

Based on the recommendations made in the Final Report of the 2021-2022 Placer County Grand Jury, county agencies and special districts, cities, libraries, and county officials have provided their responses as required in California Penal Code § 933.05.

AUBURN, California, November 10, 2022 -- The 2022-2023 Placer County Grand Jury announces that responses to the 2021-2022 Final Report have been published. This gives the citizens of Placer County the opportunity to examine the responses that government entities gave to the recommendations that the grand jury made in their June 2022 Final Report.

There were thirty-four recommendations in the grand jury report that required fifty-four separate entities to respond, including special districts, the Board of Supervisors, sheriff, and various city and county department heads. These responses were due to be received by the Superior Court by October 1, 2022, and as of the date of publication, all but two responses have been received. These responses have been published in their entirety, as received by the Court, for public review. No editing or alterations have been made to the responses.

Barbara Ferguson, the foreperson for this year's grand jury, stated, "We thank the 2021-2022 Placer County Grand Jury for their dedication and hard work in producing the final report. The reports were informational and of value to the citizens of Placer County."

The report is being published primarily in electronic form and is available on the Placer County Superior Court's website at: http://www.placer.courts.ca.gov/general-grandjury-reports-2021-2022.shtml. Hard copies of the report are being distributed only if requested. If you desire a hard copy, please email your request to the Placer County Grand Jury at info@placergrandjury.org. Please include your name and complete mailing address.

The Placer County Grand Jury is an investigatory body made up of 19 citizens with the authority to act as a watchdog on local government, investigate citizen complaints, and assist in criminal matters at the request of the district attorney.

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